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Charles L. A. Terreni, Esquire Chief Clerk and Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina Post Office Box 11649 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: Posting Notice for Allowable Ex Parte Communication Briefing

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-260(C)(6)(a)(v)-(vii), Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (the "Company") respectfully requests that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina post the attached "Notice of Request for Allowable Ex Parte Briefing" on its website no later than September 5, 2008. The Company has confirmed that the Commissioners and Commission employees identified in the attached Notice, as well as the Executive Director of the Office of Regulatory Staff are available and willing to attend the Briefing as described in the attached Notice.

Sincerely,

Catherine & Heigel
Catherine E. Heigel

Attachment

cc: N. Edwards, Office of Regulatory Staff

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NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR ALLOWABLE EX PARTE BRIEFING

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-260(C)(6)(a)(v)-(vii), the Public Service Commission of South Carolina hereby provides the following notice of a request for an allowable ex parte communication briefing:

Person or Party Requesting the Briefing:

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC

Date and Time of the Proposed Briefing:

September 12, 2008; 10:30 AM

Commissioners and Commission Employees

Requested to Attend Briefing:

Commissioners:

Elizabeth B. Fleming, Chairman John E. Howard, Vice Chairman

David A. Wright Randy Mitchell Swain E. Whitfield Mignon L. Clyburn G. O'Neal Hamilton

Commission Employees:

Charles L. Terreni, Chief Clerk Joseph Melchers, Chief Counsel Jocelyn Boyd, Deputy Clerk

Subject Matter to Be Discussed at Briefing:

Duke Energy Carolinas – Perspective on Key Industry Trends and Climate Change; Update on New Base Load

Generation Plans

Commission Docket No.:

Not Applicable